DISTRICT REPORTS.

8. Markets how supplied.

9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.

10. Prospects of season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity, number of people under relief, and state of food stocks.

11. Public health.

12. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage, of fodder, etc.

BANGALORE CIVIL AND MILITARY STATION.

	Average for the past five years of the corresponding week.	*Current.*	
Prices of food grains—Boiled rice (2nd sort)	7·07	7·19	Quantity per rupee by the standard seer of 80 tolas.
Ragi ...	14·02	15·47	
Rangoon rice (2nd sort) ...		7·19	

Agricultural operations.—Ragi and paddy are being harvested. The outturn of ragi is 10 to 11 annas in a rupee.

Cattle are healthy. Water and fodder are available.

BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Market is well supplied.

9. *Progress of agricultural operations.*—Paddy is being harvested in parts of Bangalore, Hoskote, Dodballapur, Nelamangala, Kankanhalli, Channapatna, Devanhalli and Anekal Taluks. Stacking of ragi crop is being done in all parts of the district, except in parts of Channapatna and Devanhalli Taluks, where ragi is being harvested. Sugar-cane is being harvested in parts of Bangalore Taluk. Horse gram is being harvested in parts of Bangalore and Magadi Taluks. Haraka, samé and groundnuts are being harvested in parts of Devanhalli Taluk. Potato is being sown in parts of Hoskote Taluk.

State of standing crops.—Paddy, sugar-cane, horse gram, avare, togari, hutchellu and castor are in a fair condition.

Crops harvested and their outturn.—Ragi 4 to 12 annas; paddy 4 to 12 annas; sugar-cane 8 to 12 annas; horse gram 8 to 12 annas.

10. The prospects of the season are fair. Food stocks are available. Labour is available to the cooly classes.

11. Except for plague in certain parts of Bangalore, Hoskote, Dodballapur, Nelamangala, Anekal, Devanhalli Taluks and Closepet Sub-Taluk, public health is generally good.

12. Except for Chappe roga in parts of Channapatna Taluk, cattle are healthy. Water and fodder are available.

KOLAR.

8. Market is well supplied.

9. *Crops sown.*—Paddy in parts of Kolar, Chintamani, Mulbagal, Sidlaghatta, Goribidnur and Srinivaspur Taluks and Gudibanda Sub-Taluk.

Crops harvested and their outturn.—Kolar Taluk—ragi 4 to 8 annas, paddy 12 annas; Bowringpet Taluk—ragi 4 to 8 annas, paddy 8 to 12 annas; Chintamani Taluk—ragi 4 to 8 annas, paddy 8 to 16 annas, sugar-cane 8 annas; groundnuts 8 annas; Mulbagal Taluk—paddy 8 to 12 annas; Sidlaghatta Taluk—paddy and sugar-cane, 8 to 12 annas; Chikballapur Taluk—paddy 8 to 12 annas, sugar-cane 12 to 16 annas; Bagepalli Taluk—paddy and sugar-cane 8 to 12 annas; Goribidnur Taluk—paddy, sugar-cane and togari 8 to 10 annas; Malur Taluk—ragi 4 to 8 annas, paddy 8 to 12 annas groundnuts 8 to 12 annas; Srinivaspur Taluk—paddy 12 annas; Gudibanda Sub-Taluk—paddy, togari and sugar-cane 12 to 16 annas and groundnuts 8 to 12 annas.

Standing crops.—Paddy, sugar-cane, avare, togari and horse gram are reported to be in good condition.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Prices of food stuffs continue high. Labour is available to cooly classes.

11. But for small-pox in parts of Chintamani Taluk and plague in Bowringpet town and parts of Kolar and Sidlaghatta Taluks, public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are generally healthy. Pasture, fodder and water are available.

TUMKUR.

8. Market is well supplied.

9. *Crops sown.*—Paddy in parts of Maddagiri Taluk; cholum in parts of Maddagiri and Sira Taluks; Ragi in parts of Turuvekere Sub-Taluk.

Crops harvested.—Tumkur Taluk—paddy and horse gram; Maddagiri Taluk—togari, paddy, samé, castor, ragi, groundnuts, horse gram and haraka; Chiknayakanhalli Taluk—paddy, ragi, haraka, horse gram and cholum; Sira Taluk—paddy, ragi, horse gram; Gubbi Taluk—ragi, paddy and samé; Tiptur Taluk—paddy, ragi and castor; Pavagada Taluk—paddy, groundnuts, togari and til; Kunigal Taluk—ragi, paddy and sugar-cane; Koratagere Sub-Taluk—ragi, paddy, horse gram, togari and haraka.

Standing crops.—Ragi, cholum, paddy, horse gram, castor, avare, chillies, togari, samé, groundnuts, navane, baragu, sugar-cane, haraka and til are reported to be in fair condition.

10. Prospects of the season are generally good. Food stuffs are available.

11. Public health is reported to be generally good.

12. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy. Water and fodder are available.

MYSORE.

8. Market is well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Lands are being ploughed in parts of Chamrajnagar Taluk.

Standing crops.—Ragi, togari, avare, Bengal gram, castor, alasandi, green and black grams, horse gram, ramtil, coriander, cotton, wheat, haraka, mulberry, paddy and sugar-cane are reported to be in good condition.

Crops harvested.—Mysore Taluk—paddy; Chamrajnagar Taluk—paddy, alasandi, green and black grams and horse grams; Seringapatam Taluk—paddy and togari; Yedatore Taluk—paddy and ragi; Heggaddevankote Taluk—horse gram, green and black grams; Gundlupet Taluk—paddy, ragi, horse gram, togari, green and black grams; Nanjangud Taluk—paddy, horse gram and togari; T.-Narsipur Taluk—paddy, horse gram and togari; Malvalli Taluk—paddy; Mandya Taluk—paddy, ragi and horse gram; Krishnarajpete Taluk—ragi; Nagamangala Taluk—paddy and ragi.

10. Prospects of the season are reported to be generally good. Food stuffs are not sufficiently available.

11. Except for plague in parts of the taluks of Chamrajnagar, Seringapatam, Hunsur, Heggaddevankote, Gundlupet, Nanjangud, T.-Narsipur and Krishnarajpete and small-pox in parts of the Nanjangud Taluk, public health is reported to be generally good.

12. Except for mouth disease and Chappe roga in parts of the Heggaddevankote Taluk, cattle are reported to be healthy. Water and fodder are available.

HASSAN.

8. Market is well supplied.

9. *Standing crops.*—Paddy, horse gram, togari, avare and black gram in the Hassan Taluk; sugar-cane, avare, togari, castor, chillies, horse gram, Bengal gram and black gram in the Arkalgud Taluk; paddy, sugar-cane, avare and togari in the Channarayapatna Taluk; avare, togari, horse gram, sugar-cane and Bengal gram in the Arsikere Taluk; sugar-cane, paddy, togari, horse gram, avare and Bengal gram in the Hole-Narsipur Taluk; paddy, avare, horse gram and til in the Alur Sub-Taluk, are reported to be in fair condition.

Crops harvested.—Paddy, horse gram and black gram in the Hassan Taluk—paddy and coffee in the Manjarabad Taluk—black gram, togari and chillies in the Arkalgud Taluk—dodda ragi and paddy in the Belur Taluk—paddy and sugar-cane in the Channarayapatna Taluk—ragi, coriander and cotton in the Arsikere Taluk—paddy, togari and horse gram in the Hole-Narsipur Taluk—sugar-cane, paddy, horse gram and togari in the Alur Sub-Taluk, are being harvested.

10. Prospects of the season are generally good.

11. Public health is generally good, except for plague in Belur and Halebid.

12. Cattle are generally healthy, except for foot disease in Golenahalli village and Doddaroga in Yamasandigrama of the Belur Taluk. Water and fodder are available.

SHIMOGA.

8. Market is well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Bengal gram is being sown in parts of the Shimoga Taluk. Lands are being ploughed in parts of the Sagar Taluk.

Standing crops.—Sugar-cane in all the taluks and togari, avare, yennigar jolam, Bengal gram and wheat in the Honnali Taluk are reported to be in good condition.

Crops harvested.—Horse gram in the taluks of Shimoga and Sorab; paddy in the taluks of Shikarpur, Sorab, Sagar and Nagar; ragi in the taluks of Sorab and Sagar and areca in the taluks of Sagar, Nagar and Tirthahalli are being harvested. Sugar-cane is being milled in parts of the Tirthahalli Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stuffs are available.

11. Except for plague in parts of the Shimoga and Shikarpur Taluks and Kumsi Sub-Taluk, public health is generally good.

12. Except for rinderpest in parts of the Channagiri, Sorab and Tirthahalli Taluks and Kumsi Sub-Taluk, cattle are generally healthy. Water and fodder are available.

KADUR.

8. Market is well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Nil.

Crops sown.—Nil.

Standing crops.—Chikmagalur Taluk—coriander, horse gram, and Bengal gram; Kadur Taluk—cholum, coriander, and Bengal gram; Koppa Taluk—paddy, areca, sugar cane, coffee and pepper; Mudgere Taluk—paddy, ragi, coffee and cardamom; Narasimharajapura Sub-Taluk—paddy and areca; Sringeri—paddy and areca. All these crops are reported to be in good condition.

Crops harvested.—Chikmagalur Taluk—paddy, coffee and sugar-cane; Kadur Taluk—paddy, ragi, samé, cholum castor, chillies, avare, togari and navane; Tarikere Taluk—paddy, ragi, cholum, horse gram and chillies; Koppa Taluk—paddy, areca, coffee and cardamom; Mudgere Taluk—paddy, ragi, coffee and cardamom; Narasimharajapura Sub-Taluk—paddy, areca, and coffee; Sringeri—paddy and areca.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Supply of food stuffs is sufficient.

11. Except for plague in parts of Chikmagalur and Tarikere Taluks and cholera in parts of the Tarikere Taluk, public health is generally good.

12. Doddaroga is reported to prevail among cattle in Nagalapur and Gubbagere villages of the Narasimharajapura Sub-Taluk and Tarikere town and in parts of the Kadur and Koppa Taluks. Foot and mouth disease in Heggaru and Byredevarahalli villages of Koppa Taluk. Water and fodder are available.

CHITALDRUG.

8. Market is well supplied.

9. *Standing crops.*—Cotton cholum, Bengal gram, horse gram, beans, togari, paddy, chillies, wheat, castor, black gram, green gram and tobacco are reported to be in fair condition.

Seeds sown.—Wheat in the Challakere Taluk and paddy in the Hiriyur Taluk were sown during the week.

Crops harvested and their cutturn.—Chitaldrug Taluk—sugar-cane and cotton 8 to 10 annas; Challakere Taluk—paddy and groundnuts, 2 and 4 annas respectively; Hosdurga Taluk—samé, sajje and horse gram, 8 annas; Hiriyur Taluk—ragi, paddy, sajje and navane, 8 annas; Holalkere Taluk—paddy and togari, 8 annas; Harihar Sub-Taluk—cholum, ragi and navane, 12 annas; Davangere Taluk—ragi, cholum and paddy; Molakalmuru Taluk—cholum and ragi, 12 annas.

10. Prospects of the season are fair. Food stocks are available.

11. Public health is generally good, except for plague in a few villages of the Davangere Taluk.

12. Cattle are generally healthy. Rinderpest still prevails in parts of the taluks of Hosdurga, Holalkere, Davangere and Molakalmuru. Water and fodder are reported to be available.

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